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With Graphite Protective Barrier and Methods of Making Same

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed March 17, 2004,  
applicants herewith submit the corrected section of the Amendment and Response to Office  
Action mailed September 9, 2003, and re-submitted February 12, 2004.

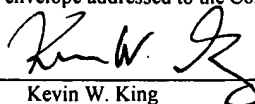
**The Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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